

**GLACIER BAY NATIONAL PARK AND PRESERVE
COMPENDIUM
2000**

National Park Service (NPS) regulations applicable to the protection and equitable public use of units of the National Park System grant specified authorities to a park superintendent to allow or restrict certain activities.

NPS regulations are found in Titles 36 and 43 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) and created under authority and responsibility granted the Secretary of Interior in Titles 16 and 18 of the United States Code. The following compendium comprises a listing of all NPS regulations that provide the Superintendent with discretionary authority to make designations or impose public use restrictions or conditions. The larger body of NPS regulations that do not provide discretionary authority to the Superintendent is not cited in this compendium. A complete and accurate picture of regulations governing use and protection of the park can only be gained by viewing this compendium in context with the full body of applicable regulations found in Titles 36 and 43 CFR. *Please contact Glacier Bay National Park and Preserve, Gustavus, Alaska at (907) 697-2230 for questions relating to information provided in this compendium.*

TITLE 36 CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS

PART 1. GENERAL PROVISIONS

1.5 Closures and public use limits

(a)(1) Visiting hours, public use limits, closures

(a)(2) Designated areas for specific use or activity

No designations or limitations in effect.

1.6(f) Compilation of activities requiring a permit

(Title 36 CFR)

- Collecting Research Specimens, (2.5)
- Special Events, (2.52(a))
- Public Assemblies and meetings,
- Sale and distribution of printed matter, (2.52(a))
- Residing on federal lands, (2.61(a))
- Scientific Research (1.5)
- Transporting lawfully taken wildlife across the park (2.2(d))
- Boating (3.3)
- Grazing, (2.60(a)(3))
- Commercial operations (5.3)
- Commercial photography (5.5)
- Construction of buildings (5.7)
- Repair or construction of any structure or facility, airstrip on federal lands, (5.7)
- Mining operations (9.9(a)) an approved Plan of Operations (in lieu of permit)
- Backcountry camping (13.30 (d)(2))
- Using aircraft access for subsistence (13.45(a),13.73(a)2)Cutting of live standing timber greater than 3 inches in diameter for non-commercial subsistence uses (13.49)
- Abandoned property, leaving property unattended for over 12 months, (13.22)
- Cabins on federal lands-
 - General use and occupancy, (13.17(e)(1),(2))
 - Commercial fishing, (13.17(e)(3))
 - Subsistence, (13.17(e)(4))

For taking of fish and wildlife-temporary, (13.17(e)(7)
Cabins otherwise authorized by law, (13.17(e)(8)

(Title 43 CFR PART 36)

- Access to inholdings where access is not made by aircraft, snowmachines, motorboat or non-motorized surface transportation (43 CFR 36.10(b))
- Use of Non-motorized Surface Transportation - Non-commercial Alsek River Permit (43 CFR 36.11(e))
- Salvaging, Removing, Possessing Aircraft (43 CFR, 36.11(f)(3)(ii))
- Helicopter landings (43 CFR, 36.11(f)(4))
- Off-road vehicle(ORV)use,(43 CFR 36.11(g)(2))
- Temporary access across federal land for survey, geophysical or exploratory work (43 CFR 36.12(c))

TITLE 36 CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS

PART 2. RESOURCE PROTECTION, PUBLIC USE AND RECREATION

2.1(a)(4) Designated areas for collection of dead wood

Dead and down wood, other than interstadial wood (aged wood preserved in glacial deposits) may be collected for use as fuel within the park. (Superseded by 13.20(a)(4) in the ANILCA Park and Preserve additions.)

This requirement is intended to protect standing vegetation from use as firewood, and interstadial (remnants of ancient, pre-glacial forests) wood.

2.1(a)(5) Designated areas and conditions for walking, climbing on archeological cultural resource sites

No designations or conditions in effect.

2.1(b) Designated trails

No restrictions in effect.

2.1(c)(1-3) Designated fruits, berries harvested by hand.

The following may be gathered by hand for personal use or consumption:

- Unoccupied seashells
- All edible berries and fruits
- Edible mushrooms
- Clams or mollusks taken in accordance with state regulations.

(Superseded by 13.20(b)(1) and 13.49 in the ANILCA Park and Preserve additions.)

These limitations are intended to identify specific items that can be harvested for personal use.

2.2(d) Established conditions and procedures for transporting lawfully taken wildlife through the Park area.

Wildlife legally taken outside the park may be transported by motor vehicle or vessel to private residences within the park for personal consumption.

Wildlife legally taken outside the park may be transported through the park provided the transporter contacts the superintendent verbally or in writing prior to entering the park and provides the following information:

- * Where the hunting took place.
- * Names and addresses of hunters
- * Means of access (aircraft/vessel descriptions and registration numbers)

- * Species hunted and taken
- * Approximate dates of transport
- * Agreement to show or locate kill location on map if contacted.
- * Map clearly showing park boundaries

This requirement is intended to allow transport of legally taken game across park lands.

2.2(e) Designated areas for wildlife viewing with artificial light.

No restrictions in effect: State law applies.

2.3(d)(2) Designated waters open to bait fishing in fresh water

State law applies.

2.3(d)(8) Designated areas open for fishing from public boat docks, etc.

The Public Use Dock at Bartlett Cove is open to sport fishing.

2.4 (a)(2)(i) Carrying of weapons and traps at designated locations and times

No taking of wildlife authorized within areas designated as “Park”. Weapons and traps may not be carried within the pre-ANILCA area of the park (former Glacier Bay National Monument). (Note: see 2.4(a)(3), which authorizes possession of unloaded, inoperable, and inaccessible weapons in vehicles and vessels.) (Superseded by 13.19(b) in the ANILCA Park and Preserve additions.)

The intent of this requirement is to provide maximum wildlife protection by not allowing the carrying of weapons or traps within the park unless the weapon is broken down and made inaccessible during transport. Weapons or traps may be carried within the Preserve during times the taking of fish or wildlife is authorized by State law.

2.4 (a)(2)(ii) Carrying weapons at designated times and facilities for target practice

No designated facilities are available.

2.10 (a) Camping - designated sites, areas, conditions and permits

(Superseded by 13.18(a) and 13.30(d)(2).)

2.10 (d) Food storage - designated areas and methods

Bartlett Cove Campground Food Preparation

The cooking, consumption or preparation of food within the limits of the Bartlett Cove campground is prohibited. Food will be cooked, prepared and consumed in the intertidal zone adjacent to the campground.

Storage/Security Requirements

All food, fish, garbage, and equipment used to cook or store food (not being transported, consumed, or prepared for consumption) must be cached:

Bartlett Cove - In a sealed motor vehicle, vessel (excluding kayaks), building, approved bear resistant food container, bear resistant trash receptacle or designated food cache.

All Other Forested Areas - Secured in an approved bear-resistant container or suspended in a tree, at least 10 feet from the ground and 4 feet horizontally from the trunk and at least 4 feet down from the supporting branch, or in a vessel (excluding kayaks) anchored offshore.

All Other Unforested Areas - At least 100 yards from a campsite inside an approved, bear resistant container or in a vessel (excluding kayaks) anchored offshore.

The intent of these requirements is to prevent bears and other wildlife from obtaining and habituating to food and garbage, thus protecting wildlife and park visitors alike.

2.11 Picnicking - designated areas

(Superseded by 13.18(B) –no restrictions.

2.13(a)(1) Fires - Designated areas and conditions

Campfires may be lighted and maintained in the following areas:

Within 1 mile of Bartlett Cove – Unless otherwise authorized by the superintendent, fires are only allowed in the designated campground beach fire ring(s).

Within 1/2 mile of the Alsek River - Fires must be contained inside a fire pan, except at Dry Bay.

All Other Areas - Fires are allowed in backcountry areas below the high tide line, or more than one-quarter mile from marine shorelines. For the purposes of this section, *high tide* is defined as the line delineated in the intertidal area by the last high water mark of the preceding highest tide.

The intent of this requirement is to allow for fires in the backcountry while ensuring that resource impacts associated with fires are minimized.

2.14 (a)(2) Sanitation and refuse - using government receptacles

Dumping of refuse brought into the park in the NPS landfill or trash receptacles is prohibited unless otherwise authorized by the superintendent. This does not preclude PRIVATE boaters from using trash receptacles at the Public Use Dock.

This requirement is intended to ensure the refuse handled by the park is generated by activities occurring within the park.

2.14 (a)(5) Sanitation - designated areas for bathing and washing

No designated areas.

2.14 (a)(7) Sanitation- designated areas for disposal of fish remains

(Superceded by 13.65(b)(3)(ix)(C).)

2.14 (a)(8) Sanitation - human waste in developed areas

No designated locations. Use of existing fixtures and facilities at Bartlett Cove required.

2.14 (a)(9) Sanitation - designated areas for disposal of human waste

Within 1/4 mile of shoreline, human body waste will be deposited in salt water or the intertidal zone, or in cat-holes dug at least 100 feet from any surface freshwater source. Toilet paper will be burned or removed as trash.

This requirement is intended to ensure that proper disposal of human waste occurs in the backcountry to protect water quality and visitor safety.

2.14 (b) Sanitation- condition concerning disposal, carrying out of human waste

Alsek River – Disposal of human body waste within one-half mile of the Alsek River is prohibited.

Solid waste must be carried to the NPS dump station provided at Dry Bay.

The intent of this requirement to ensure adequate disposal methods of human waste are complied with within the intensively-used Alsek River corridor, especially where popular campsites are used repeatedly throughout the summer and human waste disposal has been an issue and problem.

2.15 (a)(1), (a)(3), (a)(5), (b), (e) Pets

Within Area Designated as Park - Pets on leash, crated, or otherwise under physical restraint are permitted in the developed area of Bartlett Cove from the Public Use Dock area to the Park Service administration area. Outside of the developed area, pets must be within 100 feet of established roads or parking areas. Pets are prohibited in backcountry areas, except in a vessel on the water.

Within the Preserve - Pets must be kept on a leash or under control and attended at all times.

This restriction limits the free-range of pets within the park to protect wildlife and park visitors from harassment. .

2.16 (a) - (c) Horses and pack animals

(Superseded by 43 CFR 36.11(e).)

2.17 (a)(1) Aircraft operation

(Superseded by 43 CFR 36.11(f).)

2.17 (a)(2) Aircraft operation near docks, piers, beaches and other designated areas

Aircraft access to the Public Use Dock permitted. .

(Also, see 13.65(b)(3)(ix)(C) regarding dock use restrictions.)

2.17 (c)(1) Removal of downed aircraft

(Superseded by 43 CFR 36.11(f)(3)(ii).)

2.18 (c) Snowmobiles-designated areas for use

(Superseded by 43 CFR 36.11(c).)

2.19 (a) Winter activities-designated areas

All areas open to winter use. Skiing on the park road is permitted. Sledding is permitted on park roads if persons or other traffic control devices are posted to warn approaching motorists.

This restriction is intended to provide maximum safety to sledders and motorists using the park road.

2.20 Skating and skateboards

In-line skating is allowed on public roadways.

2.21 Smoking

All public buildings are closed to smoking unless specifically permitted and signed as a designated smoking area. Smoking is prohibited on the Fuel Dock and within 100 feet of the underground fuel storage facility.

These restrictions are intended to protect public safety from fire or explosion around fuel storage and dispensing facilities on and adjacent to the dock.

2.22 Property - leaving property unattended for 24 hours

(Superseded by 13.22)

2.35 (3)(i) Alcoholic beverages - areas closed to consumption

No restrictions in effect.

2.38(b) Explosives - areas designated for using fireworks

No areas designated for use of fireworks. Fireworks are prohibited.

2.51(e) Public assemblies/meetings - designated areas

All areas of the park are open to public assemblies with a permit from the superintendent.

The permit requirement is intended to ensure assemblies can occur, but with minimal impact on park visitors and activities.

2.52(e) Sale and distribution of printed matter-areas designated for such use

All areas of the park are open to distribution with a permit from the superintendent.

The permit requirement allows sale or distribution of printed matter with minimal impact on park visitors and activities.

2.60(a)(3) Designated areas for grazing

No areas are designated for agricultural grazing of livestock.

2.62 Memorialization-designation of areas for scattering ashes

All areas of the park are open to scattering of ashes without a permit.

PART 3. BOATING AND WATER USE ACTIVITIES

3.3 Permits

(Superseded by 13.65 and 43 CFR 36.11(d) and (e).)

3.6 (i) Boating, prohibited operations - designated launching areas

All areas of the park are open to launching of boats.

3.6 (j) Operating a vessel not directly accessible by road

(Superseded by 13.65 and 43 CFR 36.11)

3.6 (l) Operating a vessel in excess of designated size

(Superseded by 13.65 and 43 CFR 36.11)

3.20 (a) Water skiing-designated waters

All park waters are open to water skiing.

3.21 (a)(1) Swimming and bathing-areas designated as closed

All park areas are open to swimming and bathing

3.23(a) SCUBA and snorkeling - designated conditions in swimming areas, docks, etc

SCUBA diving is authorized at the Public Use Dock and in the mooring area at Bartlett Cove to inspect and repair vessels, or retrieve equipment.

PART 4. VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC SAFETY

4.10 Travel on park roads and designated routes-areas designated for off-road use

(Superseded by 43 CFR 36.11 (g)(1).)

4.11(a) Load weight and size limits - permit requirements and restrictive conditions

A 10,000 lbs. load limit is established for the Bartlett Cove Public Use Dock.

Exceeding this limit is prohibited.

4.21 Speed limits-designation of a different speed limit

The speed limit in the Bartlett Cove developed area, and on the park road between Bartlett Cove and Gustavus, is 15 mph, except as otherwise posted.

The reduced speed limit in Bartlett Cove is for public safety. Pedestrians and bicyclists often use the roadway and visibility is limited due to road design and vegetation.

4.30(a) Bicycles-closed areas

(Superseded by 43 CFR 36.11(e).)

4.30(d)(1) Wilderness closed to bicycle use

(Superseded by 43 CFR 36.11.)

4.31 Hitchhiking-designated areas

All areas of the park are open to hitchhiking.

PART 5. COMMERCIAL AND PRIVATE OPERATIONS

5.7 Construction of buildings or other facilities

Maintenance of established landing strips in the Preserve involving non-motorized hand tools is not considered construction and no permit is required.

PART 13. ALASKA REGULATIONS

SUBPART A – PUBLIC USE AND RECREATION

13.17(8)(ii) & (iv) Established conditions for removal of cabin for which a cabin permit has been denied or permit has been expired

No conditions established. (May require access permit).

13.17(4)(i) Designated existing cabins, shelters or temporary facilities that may be shared for subsistence use without a permit.

No designations. All subsistence use of existing cabins, shelters, or temporary facilities requires a permit from the superintendent. During the Federal subsistence moose hunt, the East River Public Use Cabin at Dry Bay may be reserved by local residents of Yakutat at no charge via the NPS Office in Yakutat.

Under federal subsistence hunting regulations, only Yakutat residents qualify to participate in federal subsistence hunting activities in the Preserve. This provision allows residents of Yakutat to share and use the East River Public Use Cabin during the federal subsistence moose hunt.

13.17(e)(4)(vi) Established conditions and standards governing the use and construction of temporary structures and facilities, published annually.

No conditions or standards established.

13.17(e)(5) Designated cabins or other structures for general public use

The East River cabin in the Preserve is designated as a public use cabin. All other cabins, not otherwise under NPS permit, are open for short-term public use (less than 14 days/year).

The East River cabin is a short-term, public use cabin.

13.17(e)(5)(ii) Established conditions and allocation system to manage the use of designated public use cabins.

A reservation and permit, available through the NPS Ranger Station in Yakutat, are required for use of the East River Public Use Cabin. An overnight public use fee will be charged for the cabin, with exception noted under § 13.17(4)(i) of this compendium.

This requirement allows for equitable public use of the East River Cabin and recovery of costs associated with maintenance of the facility and adjacent airstrip.

13.18(a) Restricted areas for camping

(See 13.30(d)(2) for camping restrictions)

13.18(b) Restricted picnic areas by posting of signs

No restrictions on picnicking.

13.22(c) Designate areas where personal property may not be left unattended for any time period, limits on amounts and types, manner in which property is stored

Personal property, including personal or commercial fishing gear of any type left past legal fishing periods established by ADFG/IPHC, may not be stored or left unattended for more than 14 consecutive days without written permission from a park ranger, except that personal kayaks and small boats may be stored from May 1 to September 30, within 150 yds. of the administrative dock or above the intertidal area between the Public Use Dock and the barge ramp.

This restriction is intended to limit abandonment of personal property in the park and impacts to resources and other park users. Provisions are provided for longer-term storage of gear where warranted with permission of the superintendent.

13.30 (d)(1) Temporary Closures and Restrictions relating to the use of aircraft, motorboats, and non-motorized surface transportation or to the taking of fish and wildlife.

(See 13.65 (b)(3)(ix)(C), Public Use Dock and Bartlett Cove use restrictions.)

13.30 (d)(2) Temporary closures and restrictions (other)

Camping

Bartlett Cove

- Camping in the Bartlett Cove Campground for more than 14 days in a calendar year is prohibited unless otherwise authorized by the superintendent.

This limitation is intended to prevent residential use of the campground.

- Overnight registration for use of the Bartlett Cove Campground is required May 1 - Sept 30.
- Camping is prohibited within 1 mile of Bartlett Cove, except inside the boundary of the Bartlett Cove Campground.

This is intended to minimize camper impacts on the numerous other visitors to the Bartlett Cove area.

Outside the Bartlett Cove Campground

- A non-fee permit is required for all persons camping overnight in the backcountry of Glacier Bay proper, May 1 through September 30.

This requirement will allow NPS to better track overall backcountry use and distribution within Glacier Bay proper. This requirement does not apply to other areas of the park. Backcountry permits may be obtained from the park's Visitor Information Station on a first-come, first-serve basis.

- Camping for more than 3 consecutive nights in one location is prohibited unless otherwise authorized by the superintendent.

This limitation is derived from the park's Wilderness Visitor Use Management Plan, July 1989, and is intended to "prevent long term occupancy of campsites other groups may wish to use, minimize campsite deterioration and disruption of wildlife use patterns."

- Group size is limited to a maximum of 12 persons. The superintendent may authorize an exception for educational groups.

This restriction is also derived from the Wilderness Visitor Use Management Plan and is intended to minimize impacts on resources and other park visitors.

- May 1 – September 30, the number of overnight, non-commercial backcountry visitors in Glacier Bay proper is limited to no more than 1870.

This limitation on backcountry use in Glacier Bay proper is necessary to protect park resources and the quality of the backcountry visitor's experience. The cap precludes continuing growth in backcountry use until an updated backcountry management plan and implementing regulations are in place. Commercial, guided backcountry groups are already limited in number through

concession permits and are not included in the visitor use limit described. This limitation only applies to backcountry use associated with Glacier Bay proper and does not affect backcountry use in other, less visited areas of the park.

Alsek River

- Group size is limited to a maximum of 15 persons, except specific commercial groups limited to 25 persons under concession permit.
The limitation on group sizes is derived from the 1989 Alsek River Visitor Use Management Plan and is intended to minimize impacts on resources and other visitors.
- Campers may camp only one night at each of the following areas: Walker Glacier, Alsek Spit and Gateway Knob. However, campers may choose to layover one additional night at one of these areas. (4 camping nights allowed among these 3 locations.) *This restriction is intended to provide equitable public use of these very popular Alsek River campsites.*

Areas Closed to Overnight Camping

- The landmass from Wolf Creek to a point directly east of the southern tip of Garforth Island including Puffin Island and the two unnamed islands in North Sandy Cove, and the one unnamed island in South Sandy Cove, from sea level to any elevation is closed to overnight camping due to a high concentration of bears, May 1 - August 15. (See Appendix B)
This restriction is intended to minimize conflicts between backcountry campers and bears in an area habitually used and important to bear. The restriction on overnight camping does not preclude day use of this area for hiking and other activities.
- The landmass between Margerie Glacier and Toyatte Glacier from sea level to any elevation is closed to overnight camping to all campers other than an organized group of 10-12 with an experienced wilderness leader with experience camping in bear country unless otherwise authorized by the superintendent due to a history of bear/human incidents, May 1 - August 15. (See Appendix B)
This restriction is intended to minimize conflicts between backcountry campers and bears in an area habitually used and important to bear. The restriction on overnight camping does not preclude day use of this area for hiking and other activities. The allowance for a organized group with an experienced wilderness leader is intended to verify if the closure in the past has had an impact on the bear behavior. Large groups have experienced less bear encounters than smaller groups camping in bear frequented areas.

Firearms

- Within the Preserve at Dry Bay, firearms may not be used for target or indiscriminate shooting within the boundary of the Temporary Zone, near buildings and structures, or other areas where firearm use jeopardizes public safety.
This restriction is intended to promote public safety in high use areas of the Preserve.

SUBPART B – SUBSISTENCE

13.49(a)(1) May permit cutting in accordance with specifications of permit for subsistence timber harvest (house logs & firewood)

Title VIII ANILCA subsistence timber harvest is not authorized within areas designated as Park. The superintendent may allow subsistence timber harvest in the Preserve subject to the terms and conditions of a permit issued by the superintendent.

13.49(a)(2) Restrictions on cutting of live timber less than 3" in diameter

Cutting of live timber is not authorized within areas designated as Park. Verbal or written permission from a park ranger is required to cut live timber less than 3" in diameter in the Preserve, except as necessary to clear designated vehicle routes and airstrips.

SUBPART C – SPECIAL REGULATIONS, SPECIFIC PARK AREAS

13.65 Glacier Bay National Park and Preserve Special Regulations

(b)(2)(i)(A) Private vessel permits and conditions

Obtaining Private Vessel Permits

Private motor vessel permits are only required for Glacier Bay proper, and only for the months of June, July, August. The following procedures and conditions apply to the issuance and use of private motor vessel entry permits:

- Permits may be obtained via telephone (907-697-2627), marine band radio (KWM20Bartlett Cove), by mail or in person at Glacier Bay headquarters at Bartlett Cove.
- Permits may be reserved up to 60 days in advance of an entry and are issued on a first received priority basis.
- Permits must be reconfirmed within 48 hours of the scheduled entry. Permits not reconfirmed by 10:00 a.m. on the date of issue, will be canceled and made available for reissue.
- Three of the daily 25 maximum permitted vessels, are reserved for local private vessels; these are restricted to residents of the Icy Straits/Cross Sound area, including the communities of Elfin Cove, Excursion Inlet, Gustavus, Hoonah, Pelican. These permits will be valid for any 7 use days, not necessarily consecutive ones, and may be issued up to 48 hours in advance.

Administration of Private Permits

- June 1 - August 31, the following schedule will generally be used to allocate daily vessel entries within Glacier Bay proper:

June 1 - 10: 3 entries per day

June 11 – August 2: 6 entries per day

August 3 - 15: 5 entries per day

August 16 - 31: 3 entries per day

The above allocations are necessary to ensure entry permits (limited in total number by NPS regulation) are available for visitor use throughout the June – August permit season. Park staff may vary the daily entry numbers to maximize opportunities for public access, consistent with allowable use day and season entry limits.

- Unused daily entries will be carried forward and issued.
- All private vessel entries will be allocated in a manner that will prevent the maximum daily presence of more than 36 motorized vessels of all types in Glacier Bay on any given day.
- The total number of private vessel entries will not exceed 468 for the period June 1 – August 31.
- No more than 25 private motor vessels will be permitted on any day.
- The total number of vessel use days will be limited to 1,971 for the period June 1 to August 31.
- A private boater may apply for and hold up to 2 permits at one time. However, a second private vessel permit will not be issued during the peak boater use period, June 11–August 2.

The intent of this limitation is to ensure first time visitors are provided a priority opportunity for a Glacier Bay entry permit over returning visitors during the period of highest demand.

Length of Stay

- Private motor vessels that entered Glacier Bay prior to June 1 may remain in the Bay until June 6 without an entry permit, however the vessel use days will be counted toward the allowable vessel use day total.

- Permits are valid for up to 7 consecutive days. An extension permit may be requested and issued for an additional 7 days, provided days are available. Request for an extension permit must be made between 8:00 AM and 7:00 PM on the last day of the initial permit.
- If an extension permit is unavailable, a vessel may remain anchored for up to seven additional days without motorized operation at Blue Mouse Cove, Sandy Cove, or Bartlett Cove. If the vessel leaves an anchorage without obtaining an extension permit it must proceed directly out of the Bay. After using an extension, a vessel must leave the bay for at least 7 days prior to applying for another vessel permit.

Notification Requirements Upon Entry/Departure

- Motor vessel operators are required to notify park headquarters by telephone (907-697-2627) or marine band radio (KWM20 Bartlett Cove on Channels 12 or 16) prior to entering or departing Glacier Bay.

This requirement allows NPS to track the number of vessel permits in Glacier Bay each day and reallocate available permits when boaters fail to arrive or depart early.

(b)(3)(ix)(A) Other restrictions for the protection of wildlife.

No restrictions in effect.

(See 13.30 (d)(2) Temporary closures and restrictions (other) re: areas closed to camping)

(b)(3)(ix)(C) Rules for the safe and equitable use of Bartlett Cove waters and docks.

The following use restrictions are for the safe and equitable use of park facilities and are in effect during the primary visitor use season, May 1 - September 30, unless otherwise noted.

Bartlett Cove Public Use Dock (See Appendix A)

- Vessels may dock for a maximum of three hours in any 24-hour period, unless otherwise authorized by a park ranger. *Provides flexibility to allow longer docking periods on a space available basis to complete boat repairs, etc.*
- Dinghies may dock in the designated area (see Appendix A) for no more than 12 hours during a 24-hour period. *This allows overnight docking of small vessels (<10') commonly used as tenders for larger vessels.*
- Aircraft are restricted to use of the designated aircraft float and are limited to three hours in any 24-hour period. Pilots must remain with aircraft or provide notice of their location to a park ranger. *Space exists for only one floatplane on the aircraft float at a time.*
- Trailers and commercial passenger-carrying vehicles (such as B&B vans, taxis, and buses) are prohibited from driving onto the dock unless authorized by a park ranger.

(January 1 - December 31)

- From October 1 to April 30, vessels may tie up to the Public Use Dock for seven days in a calendar month, to include no more than seven consecutive days. Vessels tying up to the dock must register with a park ranger.
- Dock space is assigned for use by private vessels, NPS vessels, Glacier Bay Lodge, Inc. vessels, and aircraft as depicted in Appendix A. Parking in a space otherwise reserved is prohibited.
- Motor vehicles may not be left unattended on the Public Use Dock or parked overnight in the parking lot adjacent to the dock. *Vehicles parked on the dock block access and limit use of the facility; the parking lot at the head of the dock is not large enough to accommodate overnight use during the visitor use season.*
- The load limit on the Public Use Dock is 10,000 pounds GVW. No vehicle exceeding this limit is permitted on the dock, unless authorized by the Superintendent. *This is necessary for public safety and to prevent structural damage to the dock facility.*
- Unattended personal property may not be left on or attached to the floats or pier without prior

- permission from a park ranger. *Prevents clutter from accumulating on the dock/floats.*
- Processing of commercially-caught fish on the surface of the Public Use Dock is prohibited.
- Commercial fish buying or selling is prohibited on or over the Public Use Dock unless otherwise authorized in writing by the superintendent.
- Public access not directly related to fueling or pumpout is not permitted on the fuel dock. Unattended vessels are prohibited on the fuel dock. *This dock is only to be used for fueling and waste pumpout.*
- Vessels may not use electrical shore power unless otherwise authorized by a park ranger.
- Residing on a vessel within Bartlett Cove is prohibited unless otherwise authorized by the superintendent.

Bartlett Cove Waters

- The discharge of “blackwater” (water contaminated with human waste) is prohibited in Bartlett Cove waters.
This requirement is to limit the discharge of human waste that might complicate the water quality monitoring by the park.
- The placement of temporary moorings is authorized to the north or east of the Public Use Dock, provided they are at least one-quarter mile from the dock. These moorings must meet applicable marking requirements, may not be installed prior to April 1, and must be removed by November 1 in a given calendar year. Contact must be made with the Protection Ranger prior to placement of a mooring and Mooring Buoy Agreement signed. *These limitations are necessary to ensure that fixed moorings not preempt the most convenient anchorage locations or impede access to the dock, are properly tended, and are temporary rather than permanent fixtures.*
- Anchoring vessels within 300 ft. of the Public Use Dock is prohibited. The No Anchor Zone is depicted in Appendix A of this compendium. The placement of buoys, markers, or lines (including fishing gear) is authorized to the north or east of the Public Use Dock, provided they are at least one-quarter mile from the dock.
This limitation is necessary to ensure adequate room for safe maneuvering of vessels and aircraft accessing and departing from the Public Use Dock.

Bartlett Cove Inner Lagoon and Administrative Dock

The Administrative Dock is reserved for NPS vessels. The superintendent may authorize employee use of the dock on a space available and fee basis consistent with applicable Federal law.

- A park ranger may authorize temporary public use of the Administrative Dock on a space available basis. Use will be limited to 3 consecutive days during the peak use season, May 1 - September 30, and 7 consecutive days the remainder of the calendar year.
This accommodates visitor and local resident use of the administrative dock for repairs, etc., on a space available basis.
- Anchoring in the inner lagoon area is limited to 7 consecutive days unless otherwise authorized by a park ranger, January 1 – December 31. *The inner lagoon is known and used by local residents as a storm anchorage. These limitations are intended to accommodate short-term use of the lagoon, which is limited in size, but preclude long-term use that limits opportunity for use by other visitors or local residents.*
- No buoys or lines may be placed inside the inner lagoon unless otherwise authorized by a park ranger.
This limitation is intended to ensure clear and safe passage for all vessels transiting the inner lagoon, and availability of the lagoon for temporary storm anchorage use.

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36.11(c) Restrictions on use of snowmachines, prohibited areas

No restrictions in effect.

36.11(d) Restrictions on use of motorboats

The use of motorized boats is prohibited on the Alsek River at Alsek Lake above Gateway Knob in accordance with the approved Alsek River Visitor Use Management Plan (1989).

(Also, see 13.65 and 13.30(d)(1).)

This restriction is to ensure the wilderness experience of visitors rafting the Alsek River is minimally disrupted by powerboats. Congress directed that the Alsek River corridor be managed to preserve its outstanding wilderness characteristics.

36.11(e) Restrictions on use of non-motorized surface transportation

Vessels- A permit is required for non-commercial vessels operating on the Alsek River above Gateway Knob.

This requirement is necessary to manage public use of the Alsek River in accordance with the Alsek River Visitor Use Management Plan (1989). The Plan seeks to manage use for no more than one party launching (and departing) on the river each day. This use level would be exceeded without the current permit and management system. Permits for the Alsek River can be obtained by contacting the NPS office in Yakutat, Alaska, phone (907) 784-3370.

Bicycles- Bicycles are prohibited on the Forest Loop, Bartlett River and Bartlett Lake Trail. *This limitation is necessary to minimize resource damage to what are generally wet and muddy trails.*

36.11(f)(1) Restrictions on landing areas for fixed-wing aircraft (does not apply for subsistence use, use of aircraft access for subsistence is prohibited)

No restrictions in effect.

36.11(f)(3)(ii) Established procedure for salvaging and removing downed aircraft.

A permit is required from the superintendent before downed aircraft may be salvaged and removed from the park; violation of the terms and conditions of the permit is prohibited.

This requirement allows the superintendent to establish terms and conditions for salvage operations as necessary to protect resources, provide for public safety, and minimize impacts on visitors.

36.11(f)(4) Designated helicopter landing areas

No areas of the park are designated for helicopter landings.

Helicopter landing may be authorized by NPS for emergency and other exceptional purposes but is generally precluded by this regulation on lands managed by the Dept. of Interior in Alaska.

36.11(g)(1) Use of off-road vehicles (ORV) on designated routes (recreational use)

In Glacier Bay National Preserve, off-road vehicles are permitted only on designated routes except 1) inside the boundary of the designated Temporary Fish Camp Zone; and, 2) from a designated route to a gill net site by the most direct course possible. (See Appendix C)

This is intended to minimize the development of new vehicle roads and the resource impacts associated with use of vehicles, while accommodating direct route access to fishing locations in the Preserve.

36.11(i) Except as otherwise specifically permitted under the provisions of this section, entry into closed areas or failure to abide by restrictions established under this section is prohibited.

LIST OF ATTACHMENTS (MAPS)

Appendix A, Bartlett Cove Public Use Dock, 13.65 (b)(3)(ix)(c)

Appendix B, Areas Closed to Overnight Camping, 13.30(d)(2)

Appendix C, Designated Preserve Routes, 43 CFR 36.11(g)(1)

This compendium is approved and rescinds all previous compendiums issued for Glacier Bay National Park and Preserve.

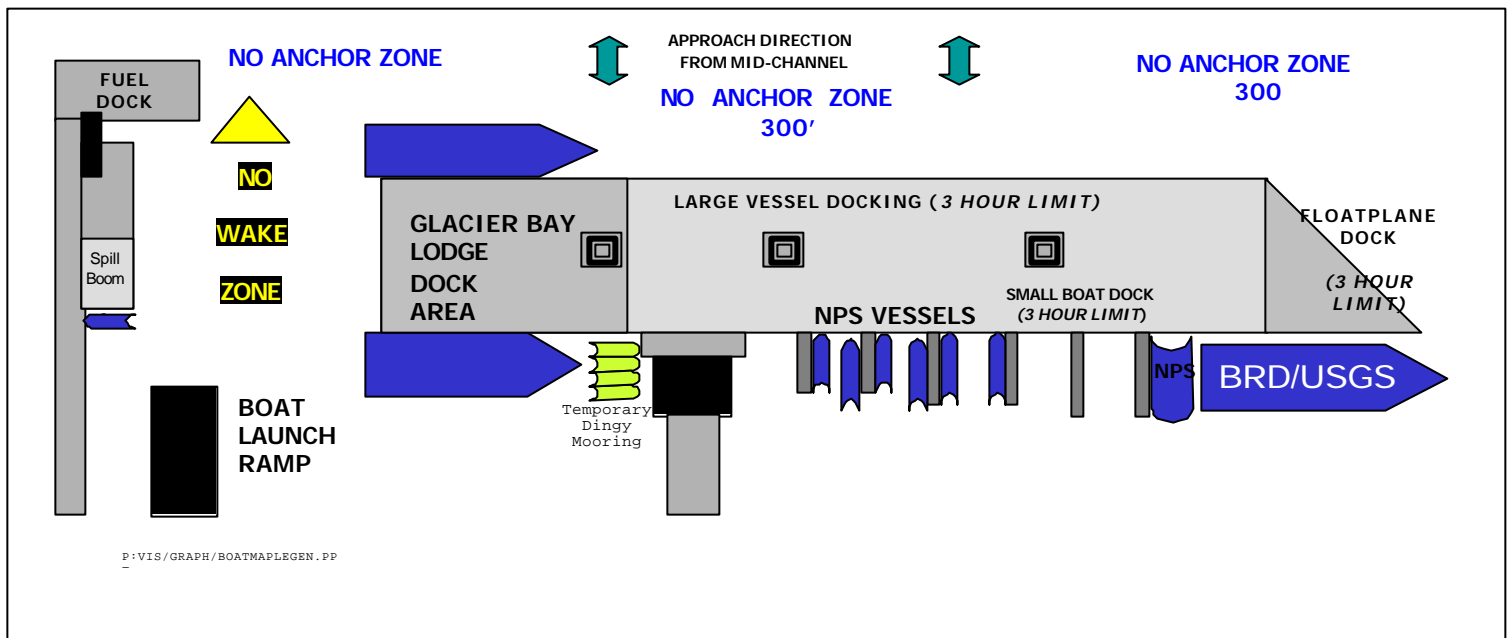
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Tomie Patrick Lee
Superintendent

Date: May 15, 2000

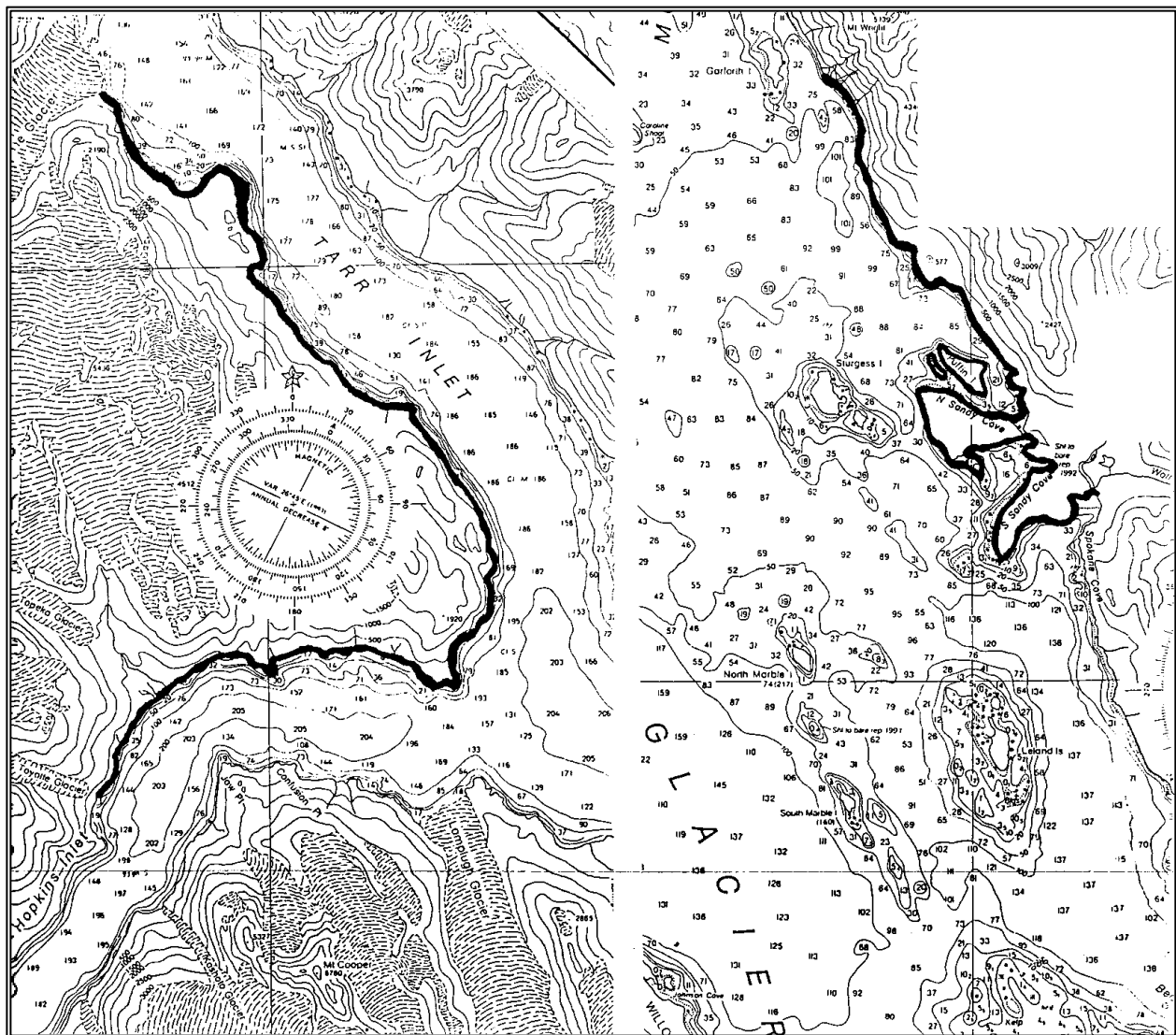
Appendix A: Temporary Closures & Restrictions 13.65 (b)(3)(ix)(C)

Rules for the safe and equitable use of Bartlett Cove waters and docks: Bartlett Cove Public Use Dock



Appendix B, Areas Closed to Overnight Camping, 13.30(d)(2)

- The landmass from Wolf Creek to a point directly east of the southern tip of Garforth Island including Puffin Island and the two unnamed islands in North Sandy Cove, and the one unnamed island in South Sandy Cove, from sea level to any elevation is closed to overnight camping due to a high concentration of bears, May 1 - August 15.
- The landmass between Margerie Glacier and Toyatte Glacier from sea level to any elevation is closed to overnight camping unless otherwise authorized by the superintendent due to a history of bear/human incidents, May 1 - August 15. (See Appendix B)



Appendix C, Designated Preserve Routes, 43 CFR 36.11(g)(1)

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